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The State House Trust, created by Chapter 199, Acts of 1969, consists of the Governor of Maryland, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Delegates and the designee of the Chairman of the Maryland Historical Trust, who act as the trustees. The Trust is to have supervision over all improvements, alterations, additions, landscaping and repairs of the State House as well as the buildings and grounds within the area known as State Circle in Annapolis. The trustees may appoint from one to three non-voting associates who are qualified by experience and interest in historical preservation. The Trust is to retain an architectural consultant (Code 1957, 1971 Repl. Vol., 1975 Supp., Art. 41, secs. 407-408).

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

Chairman: J. Carson Dowell, 1983 Vice Chairman: H. Gray Reeves, Jr., M.D., 1977

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Chapter 41, Acts of 1963 established the Board of Trustees of the State Colleges to direct and manage the four-year public colleges of the State. Chapter 917, Acts of 1976 redesignated the governing board as the Board of Trustees of the State Universities and Colleges, designated the University of Baltimore as an upper division academic

institution, and redesignated Towson State College as Towson State University contingent upon that institution meeting the criteria for name-change established by the State Board for Higher Education. Chapter 538, Acts of 1976 increased the membership of the Board of Trustees to eleven members (ten public members and 1 student member) all of whom are appointed by the Governor, and removed the requirement for the State Superintendent of Schools to serve as member ex-officio. The incumbent public members of the Board as of June 30, 1976 serve until the expiration of their respective nine-year terms. Thereafter, and with respect to the public member added to replace the State Superintendent of Schools, the non-student appointive members serve for five-year terms, are eligible for re-appointment, but may not serve for more than two full terms, including a term that commenced prior to July 1, 1971. The student member, who must be 18 years of age or older and a full-time undergraduate in good standing at a State college or university at the time of appointment, serves a one-year term commencing July 1 of each year and is appointed in the order of charter of the State college or university until all the State colleges or universities have been represented at which time the system of rotation shall be repeated (Code 1957, 1975 Repl. Vol., 1975 Supp., Art. 77A, sec. 11(a) through (d)).

The Board of Trustees submits an annual report in January of each year to the Governor and to the members of the General Assembly which includes a summary of the Board's major activities for the previous year together with a financial statement and other statistical data (student enrollment, number of degrees awarded, etc.) pertaining to the institutions under its aegis. In accordance with the Executive Planning Process, the Board submits to the Governor and to the members of the General Assembly a Short and Long-Range Plan on May 1 of each year which includes, among other subjects, a description of segment goals; segment-wide conditions, trends and projections; major policy directions and actions; and plans for future evaluation.